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SUBJECT: ANGOLAN LEADERSHIP CHANGES?

1. PORTUGUESE FOREIGN MINISTRY SOURCE, WITH INTEREST IN BUT NO DIRECT RESPONSIBILITY FOR RELATIONS WITH ANGOLA, TOLD EMBOFF THAT SISTER OF MARIO DE ANDRADE WORKS IN GOP'S FOREIGN MINISTRY.
ANDRADE'S SISTER TOLD SOURCE THAT AGOSTINHO NETO HAD RECENTLY APPROACHED HER BROTHER WITH THE PROPOSAL THAT HE BECOME FIRST PRIME MINISTER OF ANGOLA. MARIO DE ANDRADE WAS A FORMER TEACHER OF UNITA LEADER SAVIMBI AND THIS, ACCORDING TO SOURCE, WOULD BE A WAY OF BRINGING ABOUT A RECONCILIATION OF THE TWO HOSTILE FACTIONS.
AS MARIO DE ANDRADE IS IN POOR HEALTH, NETO FURTHER PROPOSED THAT CONFIDENTIAL

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ANDRADE'S BROTHER, JOAQUIM DE ANDRADE, SERVE AS SECOND PRIME MINISTER

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